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**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA  
AT CHANDIGARH**

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**CRM-M No.10188 of 2017  
Date of Decision: 17.05.2018**

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Mohit Goyal

..... Petitioner

Versus

State of Punjab and another

..... Respondents

**CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE SUDIP AHLUWALIA**

Present: Mr. Amit Jain, Advocate,  
for the applicant-petitioner.

Mr. Davinder Bir Singh, Deputy Advocate General, Punjab,  
for respondent No.1

Mr. Sukhmeet Singh, Advocate  
for respondent No.2.

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**SUDIP AHLUWALIA, J. (ORAL)**

In this petition, the petitioner, who is accused in F.I.R. No.0273, dated 29.08.2016, under Sections 279, 337, 338 and 427 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Zirakpur, District S.A.S. Nagar, (Annexure P-1), has prayed for quashing of F.I.R. with all subsequent proceedings on the basis of compromise.

[2]. With the intervention of respectables and elderly people of the society, the complainant/respondent No.2 and accused have arrived at amicable settlement vide Compromise (Annexure P-2), which is duly

signed by them. The matter was referred to the Court below for recording of statements of the parties and to report with respect to genuineness of the compromise arrived at between the parties. The Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Dera Bassi, vide report dated 10.05.2018, has apprised this Court that the compromise arrived at between the parties is genuine and without any pressure.

[3]. Respondent No.2 is represented by his counsel who does not have any objection to the quashing of FIR.

[4]. In view of the report of the Judicial Magistrate Ist Class, Dera Bassi, and in view of the decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in "Gian Singh Vs. State of Punjab and another", 2012(4) RCR (Criminal) 543 and "Narinder Singh and Others Vs. State of Punjab and Another", (2014) 6 SCC 466, this Court is of the opinion that no useful purpose can be served by keeping with the criminal proceedings pending, since the complainant has himself compromised the dispute with the petitioner/accused persons.

[5]. In the circumstances, the present petition is allowed. F.I.R. No.0273, dated 29.08.2016, under Sections 279, 337, 338 and 4278 of the Indian Penal Code, registered at Police Station Zirakpur, S.A.S. Nagar Mohali, (Annexure P-1), and all consequential proceedings arising therefrom, are hereby quashed on the basis of compromise qua the present petitioner.

17.05.2018  
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(SUDIP AHLUWALIA)  
JUDGE

1. Whether speaking/ reasoned : Yes/ No

2. Whether reportable : Yes/ No